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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks. This divisional patent application filing is accompanied under separate cover by a petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection in the parent application.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 7 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 9 of this paper.